Menace to Dvinsk Continues Serious

Strength on Rumanian

LONDON, Sept. 23 .- The Germans, n their new drive against Dvinsk, have established themselves on the western to bank of the Dvina River for a distance terday, and within twenty miles of the great Russian fortress, according to during the o-day's official report from Berlin, h Petrograd announces that in the region of Jacobstadt the Russian artillery is holding the enemy back on the left dication from Berlin that the invaders have yet crossed the stream.

The menace of the German advance to Dvinsk is serious, however. Apparently the Teutons, who have pushed down the left bank of the river as far as Vessen, opposite Livenhof, are encountering little determined resistance from the Russians. Dvinsk, which lies on the right bank of the Dvina where it bends sharply to the east, is accessible from the opposite bank by means of the great bridge that carries the railroad from Vilna across the stream. Unless the Russians are able to defend the bridgehead on the left bank, at Kalkuny, or destroy the struct-

Break Would Be Serious

Russia, and on which rests the Russian defensive system in this region. South of Pinsk is the Pripet River front, where bitter fighting took place last year during Brusiled's summer offen-

Spirited fighting continues at certain

PARIS, Sept. 23 .- An appeal to all ministers for closer auditing and control of expenditures in their depart-

trol of expenditures in their departments, with a view to economies, is one of the first acts of the new Minister of Finance, M. Klotz.

The minister calls the attention of all officials to the fact that at a time when the public administrations are requiring the people to discipline themselves and bear with indispensable restrictions imposed, it is the absolute duty of the public services to set an example in economy.

## "Trading With the Enemy Act"

Bankers Trust Company has winted for the information of its riends the complets text of the Trading With the knemy Act, as dopted in conference on the after-on of September 21st, prelimi-ary to final action by the House and Senat.

Copies of this revise may be had on application. The lext of the Act as it becomes law will be ready for distribution premptly after the President signs the bill.

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### Official Statements

### West BRITISH

LONDON, Sept. 23 .- (DAY) -Glasgow

On Friday night our naval aircraft car ied out bombing raids on the Thourout and ortemarck railway stations. The Thourout ed. At Cortemarck the station and other uildings were set on fire. Bombs wer lropped on the docks at Ostend on Saturday ir machines safely returned.

(NIGHT) .- Another hostile attack wa mehed early this morning against the

Austrians Show Increasing German storming troops northeast of Lange-At dawn to-day an attack delivered by marck was repulsed completely, the ener aving twenty-five prisoners in our hands.

PARIS, Sept. 23.— (DAY)—There was no dantry action. The artiflery action was attentioned in the region of Hurtebise and raonne, as well as on the left bank of the

### East RUSSIAN

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## Italians Blast Austrians Out of Alpine Trenches

LONDON, Sept. 23.—The Italians on the Austrian troops and 422 untion in the Dolomites, one of the Alpine ranges in Northern Trentino, yeseing fusion among the Austrian ranks that resulted capturing two of the enemy's parties of the enemy's advanced positions. Although the action was carried out in difficult territative many and the Italian troops faced a grilling fire from the Austrian batteries after they had conquered the string after the conclusion after the conclusion after the conclusion of the many and the Italian troops faced a grilling fire from the Austrian batteries after they had conquered the

### Austrians' Reports of

The Austrian reports of Italian losses | marked the first day's fighting, during the recent offensive along the Isonzo, estimated to have aggregated

# Germans Fight Doggedly, but Old Confidence and Dash Are Gone

Attacks Lack Intensity of Early Battles-British Guns Mowed Them Down by Thousands at Menin Road —Teutons Use New Flaming Bullet

the morning, low-activity again in-the of Ypres. This helish local attacks The enemy was re-The enemy was rethe determined efforts of the Germans they were unable to dislodge the British troops, who had battled their way

posts on an elevation near the Tower Hamlets, but their possession in no way affected the general situation, Carso Finteau there was an increasing the artillery activity, but no infantry actions are reported by either side.

Italian airships bombarded the enemy's encampments in the Chiapovano offensive there has been no change in Value. the situation. An intense artillery duel continued, but the enemy had abandoned, at least temporarily, those futile Italian Losses Exaggerated and costly counter attacks which

### Sacrifice Useless

The German military code in the past

to the attack were very heavy, and es-BRITISH FRONT IN FRANCE AND pecially so on the night of September BELGIUM, Sept. 23 .- That phase of the 18. During that night ration parties

nished further evidence of that deterioration in the fighting qualities which has been going on in the German lines for some time. It must not be assumed from this statement that the Germans are in a demoralized state. During the last few days they have fought with great determination, and skilfully, but they are not as good as

It is significant, perhaps, that the counter attacks delivered by the enemy on the first day were lacking the inon the first day were lacking the intensity of previous counter attacks, although the Germans had known that
the offensive was pending and had had
time to prepare for eventualities. In
this connection, a change has been
noted in the attitude of captured German officers. Apparently, they no
longer have faith in the future and
have abandoned hope of success in the
Western theatre. The thing they are
most interested in now is peace.
On the other hand, the morale of the
British troops has never been at so
high a pitch as at present. Everywhere along the line one finds the
same feeling. The men are imbued
with the idea that they have proved
themselves stronger than their adver-

There is one solution of the labor problem that has received so far but superficial consideration, and this is the importation of alien labor, with especial reference to those willing and intelligent workers, the Chinese. With the overflowing 413,000,000 population of China, there could be spared enough laborers to meet our needs and for their importation the present legal debarments could be suspended.

With recognition of the industry and frugality of the Chinese, these laws were framed along high protective tariff lines, so that our native labor might not be compelled in competition to change its old habits or form new ones, and that it might not be lost to union control. But the times involve sacrifices even from labor, and the more labor gives now the less it will have to give with the inevitable readjustment of wages.

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# British Repel Germans; Win More Ground

the attackers were unable to reach the American Flag Dearer houtile trenches, and gave up all attempts to advance their positions at To France Than Management

In the sector southeast of Arras, near Monchy, the British had better success, penetrating the enemy's trenches and being driven out only after hand-to-hand fighting, in which the Germans lost heavily. Berlin reports "forefield" engagements of varying intensity along the Bapaume-Cambrai road and on the Somme and Olse fronts. Glasgow troops successfully raided the enemy's trenches northeast of Gouzeaucourt.

On the French front the artillery duel continues with especial violence where motoring are continual "shoot the chutes." The part of the morning air bracing. Women and children along the property of the continues of the morning air bracing.

Force Attacking Tropas
Back Over Their Own
Trenches

Consolidate Gains
Near Langemarck

Heavy Artillery Duel Continues on Front Held
by the French

LONDON, Sept. 23.—The British conquered additional German defences on the Ypres front in Flanders early this morning, after repelling a counter asknew sale on the Ypres front in Flanders early this morning, after repelling a counter asknew in the interpretation of heavy share in the form of heavy ship in the flatter part of the form of heavy ship in the flatter part of making drive, and those of machines that many prisoners front has increased steadily since the conclusion of haig's drive, and those front has increased steadily since the condition of haig's drive, and those of machines that the different capitals are to be believed, the German defence on the Ypres front in Flanders early this morning, after repelling a counter asknew sale to the form of the flatter place believed the sale of the flatter place believed the sale of the flatter place believed to the sale of the flatter place to the fl

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